

AO91 (Rev. 12/03) Criminal Complaint

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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Southern District Of Texas Brownsville Division

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

vs.

Marco Antonio VELA-Cardenas  
A036 750 703 Mexico  
AKA Marco VELA, Marco Antonio VELA

Case Number: 1:20-MJ-355

United States District Court  
Southern District of Texas  
**FILED**

MAY - 3 2020

I, the undersigned complainant state that the following is true and correct to the best of my

David J. Bradley, Clerk of Court

knowledge and belief: On or about May 02, 2020 in Cameron County, inthe Southern District Of Texas defendant(s)

an alien who had previously been denied admission, excluded, deported, or removed, knowingly and unlawfully was present in the United States having been found in Cameron County, Texas, the said defendant having not obtained the consent of the Attorney General or the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to reapply for admission into the United States,

in violation of Title 8 United States Code, Section(s) 1326(a)(1)/(b)(1)I further state that I am a(n) Border Patrol Agent and that this complaint is based on the

following facts:

The defendant was encountered by Border Patrol Agents conducting Linewatch operations near Brownsville, Texas on May 02, 2020. The defendant is a citizen and national of Mexico who was previously deported, excluded or removed from the United States on November 16, 2011. The defendant was convicted of Distribution of Cocaine and Aiding and Abetting on August 6, 2008. Record checks revealed that the defendant has not applied for permission from the proper Authorities to re-enter the United States.

The defendant had \$200 Mexican pesos in his possession at the time of his arrest.

Continued on the attached sheet and made a part of this complaint:

☐ Yes ☒ No

Signature of Complainant

Peterson, Clayton E. Border Patrol Agent

Printed Name of Complainant

Submitted by reliable electronic means, sworn to, signature attested telephonically per Fed.R.Crim.P.4.1, and probable cause found on

May 03, 2020

Date

at

Brownsville, Texas

City/State

Ronald G. Morgan

Name of Judge

U.S. Magistrate Judge

Title of Judge

Signature of Judge